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PROGRAMS FOR INDUSTRIAL CONTROLLERS  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicants submit this amendment in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 7, 2004, and concurrently file a Request for Continued Examination and a petition for two month's extension of the period for response. Fees required for such extension and for added

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claims may be charged by the Commissioner to Deposit Account No. 23-1703. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. Cancellation of claimed subject matter is without prejudice or disclaimer.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.